GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3239
ANSWERED ON:22.03.2002
ANTYODAYA YOJANA
LAXMINARAYAN PANDEY

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) The State-wise distribution of rice under `Antyodaya Scheme` since inception of the scheme;

(b) whether the Union Government have received requests from various States particularly from Tamil Nadu for additional foodgrains under the scheme;

(c) if so, whether the Union Government have any plan to increase the quota;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI PRADHAN)

(a): The State-wise details of distribution of rice under Antyodaya Anna Yojana since inception of the scheme is given at Annex.

(b): Yes, Sir. Some State Governments including Government of Tamil Nadu have requested for increasing the number of beneficiaries under Antyodaya Anna Yojana.

(c),(d)&(e): No, Sir. The poorest of the poor families (Antyodaya families) in respect of each State/UT have been worked out on the basis of 15.33% of the estimated number of BPL families in each State/UT. The basis cannot be changed in respect of any one State in isolation. This basis is uniformly applied to all the States.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3239 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 22-03-2002 IN THE LOK SABHA.

STATE-WISE ALLOCATION AND OFFTAKE OF RICE UNDER ANTYODAYA ANNA YOJANA UPTO FEBRUARY,2002.

Fig. In `000 tonnes)

Sl. No.	State/UT	Allotment	Offtake
1.	Andhra Pradesh	186.84	175.072
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	0.756	0.242
3.	Assam	21.114	16.658
4.	Bihar	50.000	30.549
5.	Chhattisgarh	86.220	83.246
6.	Delhi	0.320	0.127
7	Goa	0.796	0.670
8.	Gujarat	10.725	10.356

9. Haryana +	0.000	0.000
10. Himachal Pradesh	13.975	13.683
11. Jammu & Kashmir	17.176	4.072
12. Jharkhand	32.985	23.409
13. Karnataka	57.763	56.110
14. Kerala	71.460	54.586
15. Madhya Pradesh	57.120	51.492
16. Maharashtra	84.984	73.998
17. Manipur	1.276	0.140
18. Meghalaya	2.812	1.972
19. Mizoram	2.893	2.893
20. Nagaland	1.900	1.852
21. Orissa	75.828	74.646
22. Punjab +	0.000	0.000
23. Rajasthan	1.284	0.548
24. Sikkim	1.008	0.954
25. Tamil Nadu	22.423	8.960
26. Tripura	6.786	5.576
27. Uttar Pradesh	69.381	0.000
28. Uttranchal	6.690	0.000
29. West Bengal	45.800	22.744
30. A & N Islands	0.514	0.303
31. Chandigarh	0.265	0.265
32. D & N Haveli	0.600	0.570
33. Daman & Diu	0.110	0.085
34. Lakshadweep	0.030	0.000
35. Pondicherry	0.900	0.832
Total	932.734	716.660

+ Only wheat is being allocated under AAY.